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| PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) FY 2005 (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).) | Docket Number (Optional) 388512010900 |
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| Application Number 10/681,013 | Filed October 7, 2003 |
| For METHODS TO DETERMINE NUMBERS OF PARTICLES IN MULTIPLEXED ASSAYS (AS AMENDED) | |
| Art Unit 1641 | Examiner D. J. Venci |

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):

| | | Fee | Small Entity Fee | |
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| [ ] | One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) | $120 | $60 | $ |
| [ ] | Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) | $450 | $225 | $ |
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| [ ] | Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) | $1590 | $795 | $ |
| [ ] | Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) | $2160 | $1080 | $ |

[X] Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

[ ] A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

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[ ] The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

[X] The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 03-1952 ~~I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet~~. Fee Transmittal form (PTO/SB/17) is attached to this submission in duplicate.

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[ ] applicant/inventor.

[ ] assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).

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